

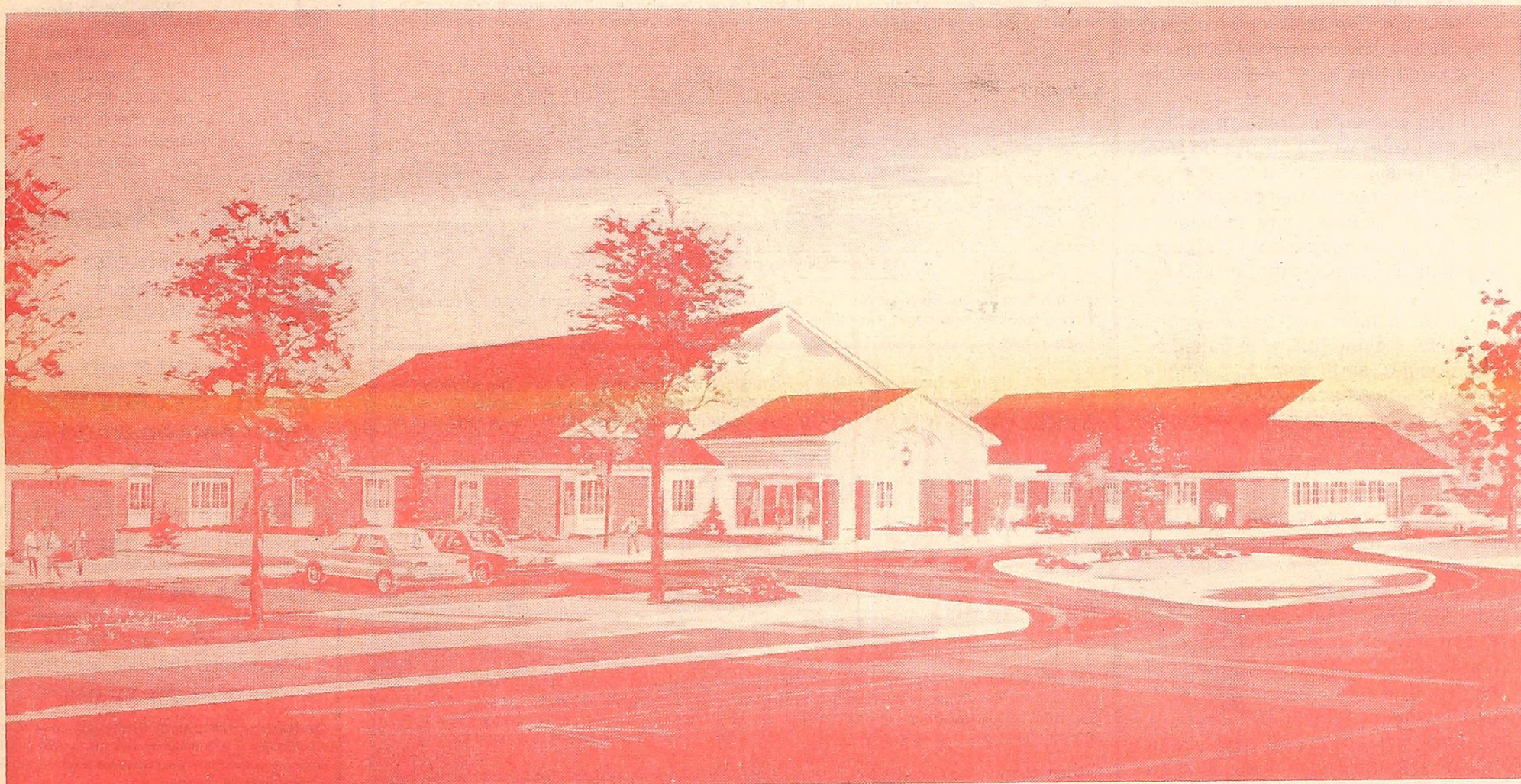
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Developer Wants To Bring Youth Home To Romulus — Citizens, Officials Object



by Dave Atkins

Youth Care Associates, Inc., an organization headed by David A. Dowling, would like to build a youth care facility in Romulus. If built, the facility would be called Amherst Academy, and would house approximately 80 residents ranging in age from 13 to 17.

The academy would be built on a 15-acre parcel of land directly behind the GM Allison Diesel Plant. The cost of the 32,000-square-foot, traditionally styled facility would be approximately \$4.5 million.

Youth Care Associates says that there is a lack of programs in western Wayne County with the facilities and objectives that the Amherst Academy would have. They cite statistics such as the fact that, last year, 233 children from western Wayne County were placed in special programs such as that of Amherst Academy, and that, of those 233 children, 116 of them were from the

Romulus, Taylor, Inkster, Garden City, Wayne, and Westland areas.

They also state, in their presentation, that the Romulus School District would receive approximately \$288,000 annually because of the number of school-aged children who would be housed there.

But Dr. William Bedell, Romulus Schools Superintendent, said that is simply not true. "First of all," he explained, "he (Dowling) said we will get state aid. We are going to be out-of-formula soon, so we, in fact, will not get the state aid he is talking about. The law requires us to provide special education services to any resident under the age of 26, and these children would be considered as residents. Providing these kinds of services would cost this school district about five times the normal rate to educate a child in the normal manner." He concluded: "We have more than enough group homes

in Romulus — more than anyone else in the State. As far as I am concerned, it is someone else's turn."

Mayor McAnally said that she will not actively object to the facility, even though she is not, in fact, in support of it.

To find out the company's intentions regarding this facility, I contacted YCA's Terry Seyler.

When I asked Mr. Seyler if their proposed facility was really nothing more than a reformatory, he replied, "That name hasn't been applied to anything for a hundred years," adding, "Something that would be comparable to a reformatory would be something like the County Youth Home."

I asked how they would acquire the kids who would be residents of the home.

"Generally, through the County or the State — the youth authority of a county. Each county calls them some-

thing different. Everything in Wayne County comes from the Youth Home. Frankly, Wayne County refers everything to the State, and the State Department of Social Services contracts us for services to the Wayne County kids."

Romulus News (RN): "So, we're talking about kids in trouble, then?"

Terry Seyler (TS): "Oh yeah."

RN: "Kids that have had confrontations with the police?"

TS: "Right!"

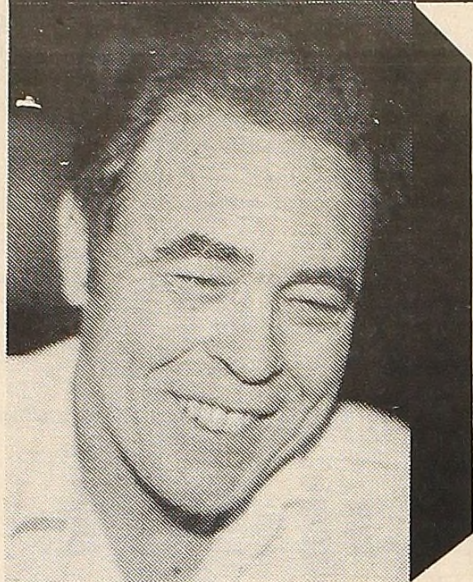
Seyler says that, according to State regulations, the population of this facility could not exceed 80 residents. He claims that, basically, this will be an educational facility with never more than 10 students in any one group, and the members of those groups will most likely be in the same age category so as not to have a lot of peer pressure.

At this point, Planning Commission members Noah "Pete" Bergeron and

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THE EDITOR'S OPINION

Is It Worth Two Bits To You?



by Dave Atkins

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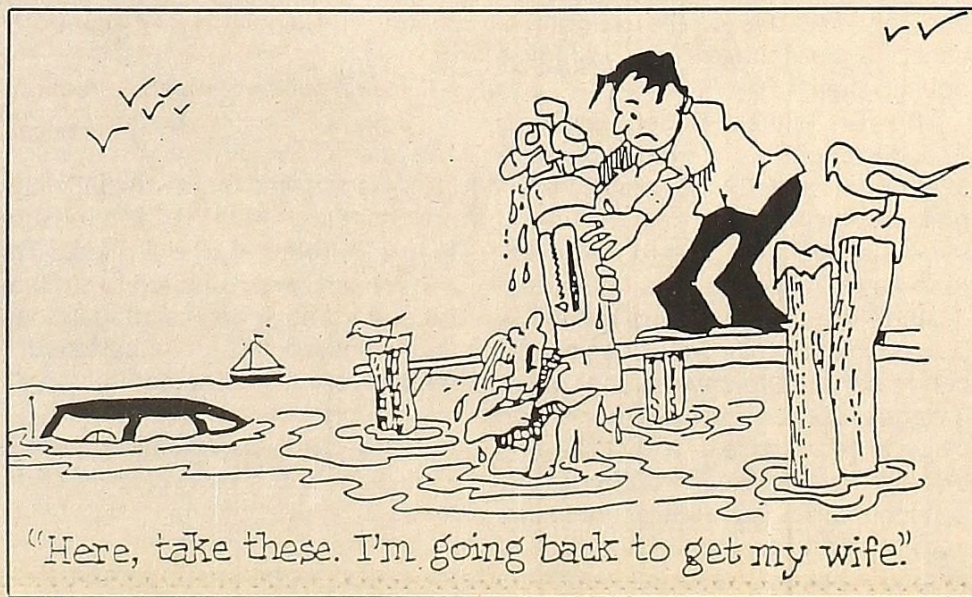
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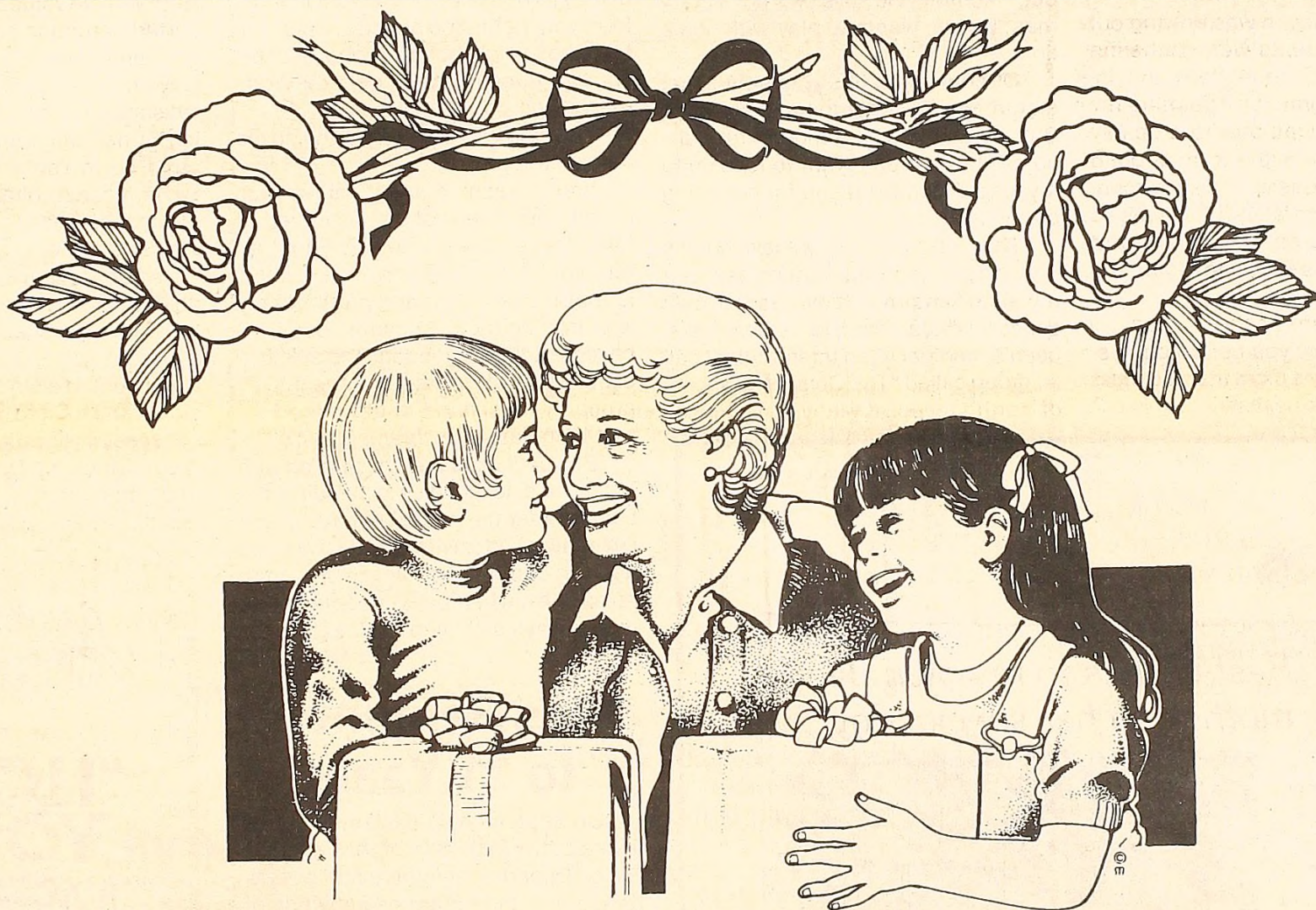
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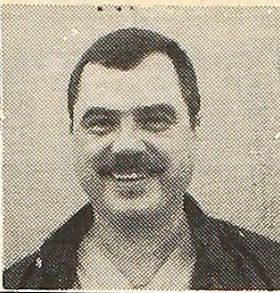
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to the Mothers of Romulus
from the
Romulus Community Schools
Board of Education and Staff

"Your Children are Our Greatest Concern"

by **TOM SHAMANSKI**



Ballet Shoes and Other Pointed Stuff

One night last week, I took my first ballet lesson. Being in a beginners' class with mostly three- and four-year-olds, we didn't get much beyond which foot is left and which is right. Naturally, for the most part, I got that stuff right. (The couple of times that I messed up, Tiffany, the little girl to my left — or was it my right? — well, anyway, she helped me out.)

While Miss Joyce was bowing out the door and parents were gathering up their kids, I noticed Tiffany and another kid whispering and pointing my way. Well, I thought, they're probably wondering where in the world I found size-12 *pointe* shoes. Boy, was I wrong.

A few moments later, Tiffany walked up to me, stood on her tiptoes, and asked, "Mister, is it true that you're a crazy man?"

"Huh?"

"My mom saw you before our lesson, and told Amy's mom that you must be a crazy man. So, is that right, mister?"

Are you a crazy man? Are you?"

"No, honey, I'm not crazy," I said in my lowest possible voice. "You see, pretty soon I'm going to be playing football for the Detroit Lions, and I just want to get in shape. Do you understand, Tiffany?"

She smiled and nodded. Then, turning and spotting her mom, she cried out, "Mommy! He says he's not a crazy man; he just wants to play with some lions."

Of course, all this was somewhat disturbing, as I hate to be misquoted. But it was worth the momentary discomfort, as I didn't want to fess up to my single selfish reason for bouncing on my toes.

That, folks, goes back a few months ago to a pointed conversation between my sister and me. Judy has her own dance studio, and has, for several years, been a member of an international ballet group called "The Guiseppi Dancers of North America & Many Other Places

Beyond."

As I recall, Judy told me that the organization was named after some famous Italian ballet guy who actually died with his *pointes* on. Legend has it, Guiseppi had a thing for one of the swans in *Swan Lake*. Unfortunately, the pretty little swan's husband was a member of Italy's version of the NRA, and right in the middle of a performance . . . well, you can guess the gruesome finale.

Anyway, Judy's telling me that, when she reaches the next Guiseppi plateau, she'll become what's called a Guiseppi Judge. She'll then travel North America, and many other places beyond, evaluating dancers. Soon, she's grinning, examining her nails, and mentioning places like Paris, Rome, London, and Pittsburgh.

That's it, I tell her. I want to learn ballet and travel the world, and I'll even pay for my lessons!

"Not in my studio, Narly Toes. First of all, you don't even know your left foot from your right. And besides, when you took those night school tango lessons, you put three of those girls on Workmen's Comp."

"Oh, yeah?" I said, firmly ending the conversation.

Well, I wasn't going to let her step on my toes like that, so I enrolled at Miss Joyce's Dance And/Or Flight Attendant School. The way I see it, folks, is that if I can't *plie* and *pirouette* my way into being a Guiseppi Judge, I'll become a flight attendant and still travel the world. Of course, I realize that I'll probably be serving in-flight food . . . and then, later, be cleaning it up.

But, until that time, I'm sticking with Tiffany and her buddies in pursuit of the ballet. What the heck, I'm having fun; I'm getting better with my left and right; and I'm certain Miss Joyce will soon reveal why, when ballet people count, they always say "two" twice. □

indicating that, due to heavy narcotics enforcement in the City of Detroit, Doss had set up a narcotics trafficking ring at 10135 Diane in Romulus. From that apartment, Doss was trafficking in both heroin and cocaine.

Over the next seven months, the SIU made several undercover buys at the apartment; then, on April 13, 1989, a search warrant was obtained. A search warrant was also obtained for the residence of Doss's girlfriend in Detroit. These warrants were executed, and Doss was arrested in a bedroom of the 10135 Diane apartment, where he was throwing narcotics out the window and standing near a loaded/stolen .45-caliber semiautomatic handgun.

Pursuant to these warrants, officers confiscated approximately two ounces of cocaine (with a street value of over \$5,000) and 10 grams of nearly pure heroin (with a street value of over \$30,000). Other items seized and forfeited to the City included over \$3,000 in cash, a 1986 Audi vehicle valued at \$10,000, and assorted narcotics paraphernalia.

During that time period, the Federal Government had recently enacted stiff legislation concerning persons trafficking in narcotics and possessing firearms, so, in a spirit of cooperation, the SIU contacted colleagues at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms to assist in the raid.

A subsequent Federal trial was conducted, and on December 20, 1989, a jury convicted Doss on charges of felon in possession of a firearm, possession with intent to distribute heroin, possession with intent to deliver cocaine, and possession of a firearm in relation to drug trafficking. Doss was sentenced to 21 mandatory years in prison as a result. □

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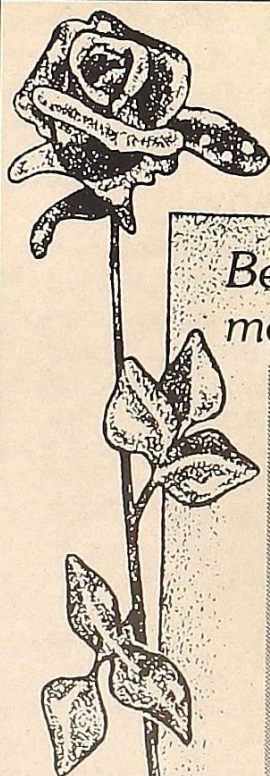
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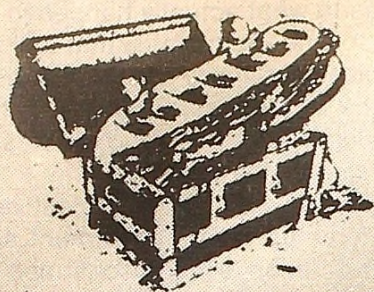


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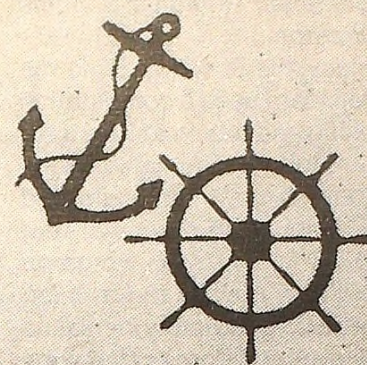
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Sports Update

by Fred Coleman, Romulus Schools Athletic Director

Last Friday, the Romulus Eagle varsity baseball team used a combination of fine pitching and hitting to earn a 6-3 victory over Robichaud High School. Pitchers Eddie Tank (11 strikeouts) and Rich Evans held the Bulldogs at bay, while Tank (3-for-4), Mike Bergeron (2-for-4) and Ken Blevins (2-for-4) led the hitting attack. This victory increased the Eagles' overall record to four wins and three losses on the season.

Outstanding performances by individuals from our varsity track programs highlighted the competition at the Monroe High School Invitational last Saturday. Firsts were taken in the women's competition by Stephanie Franklin in the 100-meter hurdles and by the relay team of Franklin, Charmaine Smith, Melanie Patterson, and Tearza Johnson, while Yvette Mason set a new School record in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:31.3. Fine performances for the men were turned in by Eric Newcomb and the relay teams.

This Saturday, both teams will travel to Monroe Jefferson for a six-game invitational. If you enjoy this season and the beautiful spring weather, you may want to attend this event. Call the Athletic Office at the High School (941-3414) if you need directions.

Last Saturday was also the day of the Eagle softball team's second consecutive weekend tournament and, once again, they finished in the runner-up position, losing in the finals to host Monroe by a final score of 13-5. The Eagles got off to a very poor start, committing 15 errors in a losing effort to Adrian, but bounced back to defeat the Livonia Franklin team, 4-3, and take revenge out on Adrian by a score of 10-4.

The top four hitters in the Eagle lineup showed why coach Bill Cuhnan has them there — between the four of them, they collected 34 hits, scored 25 runs, and had 31 RBIs. Leading the pack was junior Michele Scarrow, who moved her season batting average to .509 with a 9-for-14 tournament while collecting 12 RBIs and scoring nine runs, and the Romulus April Athlete of the Month, Jennifer Daniel, showed why she earned

this honor, as she collected 11 hits in 17 at-bats, scored eight runs, and had nine RBIs. Senior captain Shannon Dudonis also had an outstanding day, as she tallied nine hits in 15 at-bats while scoring five runs in the tournament.

As the Eagles discovered in the first game, hitting is exciting but pitching and defense will win the games. The Eagle pitching trio of senior Becky Szente and juniors Renee Bitner and Jennifer Daniel all had above-average days and, when the defense rallied behind them, the Eagles came out on top. Renee Bitner led the victory over Livonia from the mound, while Becky Szente rallied the Eagles to victory over Adrian in the semifinals with a little three-inning relief help from Jennifer Daniel.

The Eagles hope to ride the success of their first two tournament showings into the always-tough Royal Oak Shrine Invitational this weekend. Romulus will play Avondale in their opening contest on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. Directions to this tournament can be obtained by calling the Athletic Office at the High School (941-3414). □

8-year-old's Death Ruled Accidental

by Dave Atkins

It is sad when any youngster dies, especially when there's any sort of controversy about the death.

Tony Navarro, of Whitehorn Street in the Wellesley Complex in Romulus,

was killed when he was hit in the head by the single swing of a golf club.

There have been conflicting reports as to what actually happened.

One youth stated that the boy was hit at least twice; others who witnessed the incident said that young Navarro stepped into the swing and was hit only once by the golf club.

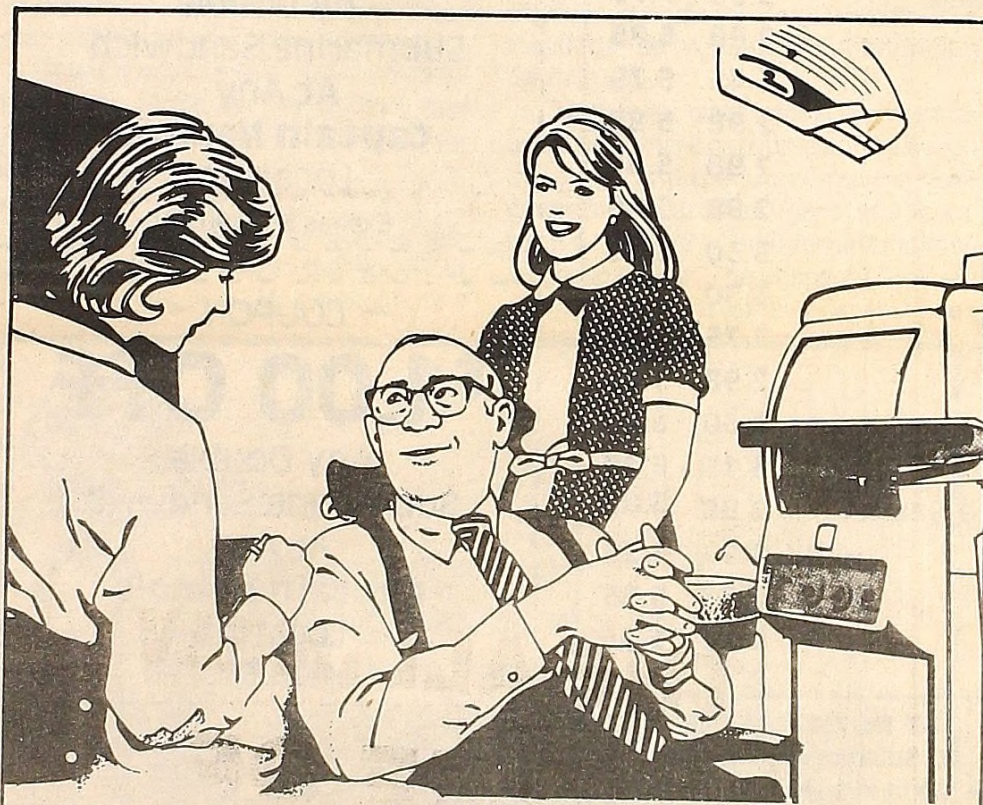
Sergeant Painter, detective for the Romulus Police Department, said that the coroner's report confirmed that the Navarro boy had been hit only once in the jaw, which caused internal bleeding from the head, which, in turn, was the cause of death. (The actual phrase used was, "Cause of death was cranio-cerebral trauma that resulted from a single blow the jaw.")

According to Painter, the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office concurred with the examiner's report that the cause of death was an accident.

Painter said that anyone who may have additional information regarding this incident should contact his office directly at 942-6879. (If you reach an answering service, please leave a message and Sergeant Painter will contact you.) □

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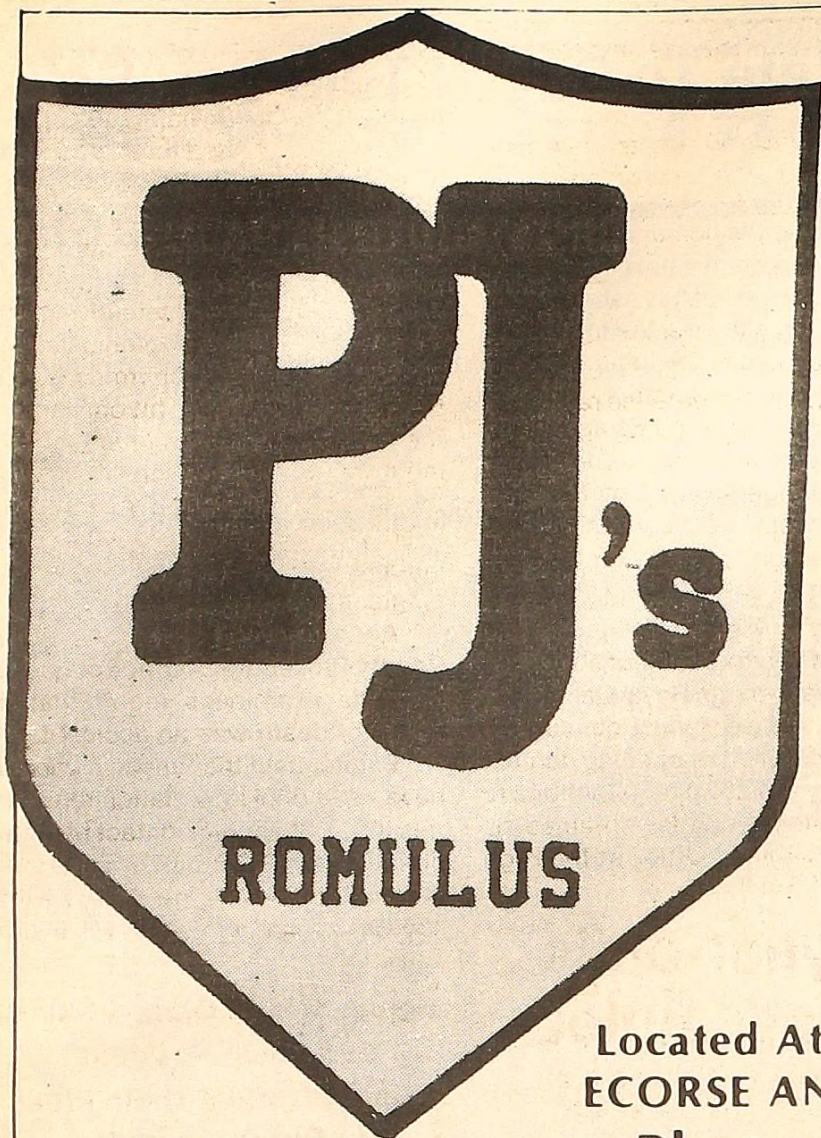
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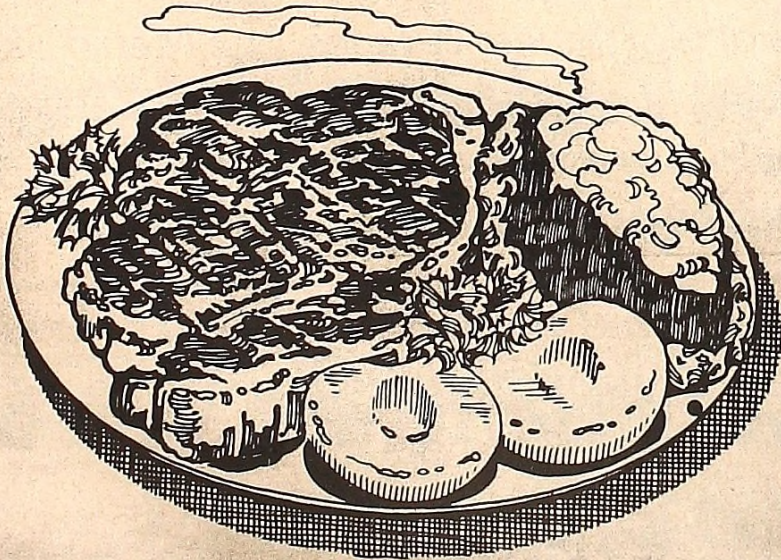
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Springer Archery Gutted by Fire

by Dave Atkins

Last week, long-time businessman Dick Springer lost his business to the horrors of fire.

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Evidently, the fire started near the north side of the front window shortly after Springer left to go home around 6 or 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 22.

The fire chief, William Greenslait, said that it was a very "hot" fire, which could have been caused by black powder in some of the shells that were stored in the area where the fire began.

As usual, our volunteer fire depart-

ment responded very quickly, or the damage could have been much worse. The response time was two minutes, and the fire was out in less than an hour.

The entire inside of the lower floor was gutted and the upstairs was badly damaged by smoke. According to the Fire Chief, the estimated dollar value of the damages was around a half million dollars.

The actual cause of the fire is still undetermined, and is still under investigation by the Romulus Fire Department and the office of the State Fire Marshall. □

I Hate To Say "I Told You So"

by Dave Atkins

I hate to be the bearer of bad news, but, in this instance, I have no choice.

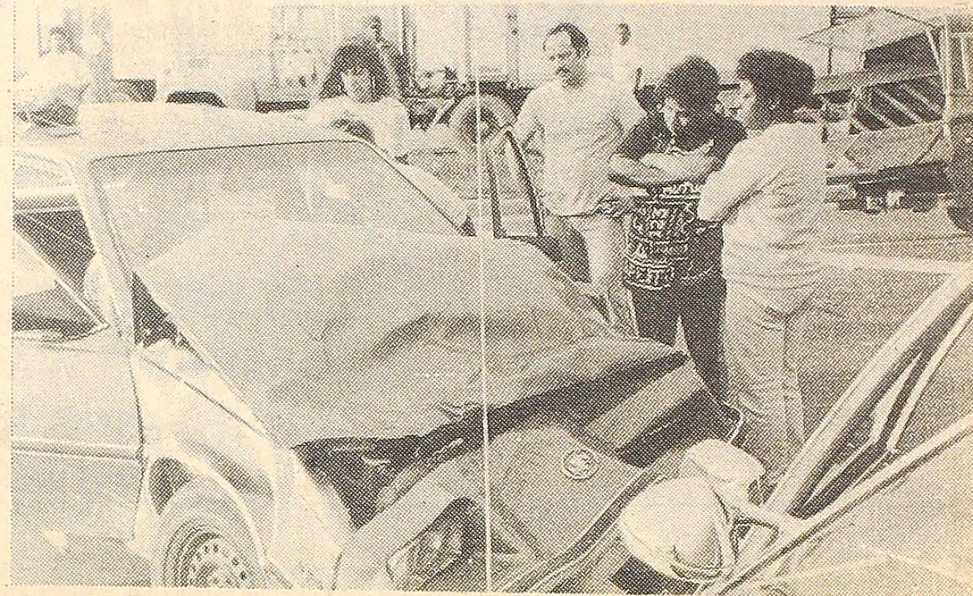
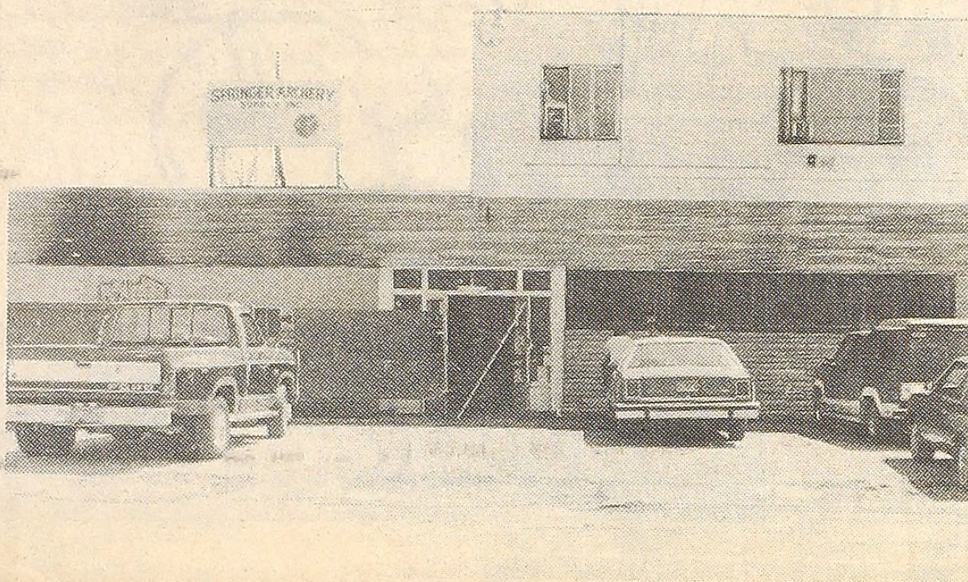
In the last issue of this paper, I wrote about the City allowing the transfer of a beer license from one location to another — that other location being at the corner of Wayne and Ecorse roads. I said that, with the heavy traffic in that area, the dangers of a bad accident happening would be greatly enhanced.

Sure enough, even though the store in question has not been built yet, a very bad accident (involving two cars and a truck) occurred at that intersection just the other day.

The two men in the truck had minor lacerations on the face and other parts of their bodies. The girl that hit the truck (the truck ran a red light and the girl hit him) seemed to have been badly hurt; she was taken to the hospital by the ambulance service.

I don't know what happened to the third person, although that car was not as badly damaged as the other vehicles.

Beware of that corner. It is, and always has been, a bad intersection, and it will become even worse as time goes by. □



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Son, though you departed from us so suddenly, and were placed in God's Hands on the 20th of April, 1990, at 3:42 a.m., you will be in our broken hearts and our memories until we are called home with you.

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Letters to the Editor

Is anyone else as unhappy as I am after facing the Board of Review concerning the escalation of our State Equalized Values on our tax bills (69% of which goes for schools)?

We have really been duped by assertions that our taxes wouldn't go up (because the "millage would be capped") at the introduction of each new "education" or "health" program. (These are the buzz-words that are guaranteed to assure parents' acceptance of *any* program!) But there is no voter-control on the S.E.V. . . . It is determined by state law. So, the State can spend any amount of our tax dollars on programs like the MICHIGAN MODEL and TEEN HEALTH CLINICS, and guess who pays for them! And they exasperate the very problems that they are purported to solve! And pumping more tax dollars into the system certainly is not the answer. Illiteracy abounds (to the extent that the definition has been changed to accommodate the lower standards — "reading and writing" are no longer in the definition of "literacy").

Less expensive and more effective teaching methods (emphasis on **READING**) will result in higher literacy. Surveys are available which show that phonics is the best sure-fire, tried-and-true method of teaching reading — as opposed to the look-say or whole-language methods.

Too many student hours are wasted on small-group discussion ("problem solving" by popular vote with non-directive teaching techniques) — which teaches the kids to be guided by peer pressure (rather than by right or wrong or "moral" absolutes — or even teacher guidance!). Contemporary living classes, death-and-dying classes, and "values clarification" exercises take up even more of our kids' learning hours.

SB-4009 was signed into law last week (without allowing adequate time for debate or revisions or objections), which gives the State even more con-

trol over our education system. We are unable to get anyone to state definitely that "reading, writing, and 'rithmetic" are in fact a part of the "core curriculum" mandated by the State!

WHEN WILL THEY STOP RAISING OUR TAXES AND START REVIEWING OUR EDUCATIONAL SPENDING POLICIES INSTEAD?

Lucille Raymond

Poor Lithuania, like a girl in the alley being stabbed to death while the world watches, not wanting to get involved in a "family matter."

The reason the U.S. is losing the respect of the rest of the world is because it has become a moral wimp. It has lain with dogs, and gotten up with fleas, all in the name of expediency. They cannot distinguish wrong from right at State. All is grey. In trying to buy friends, they have sold their, and our, honor. I don't think our *government* knows the meaning of the word "honor" anymore, at home or abroad.

I am ashamed of their timid response to bullies and of our rewarding, with foreign aid, evil empires.

Sincerely,
Emma Hatcher

I recently attended a seminar that included a group of musicians who are deeply concerned with issues involving the environment. I was so moved by their message that I felt a need to offer any assistance I could. Since I am a struggling college student, my help could not be financial.

I was awakened early one morning, a song about the spirit of America kept running through my mind. The message in the song, for us as Americans, is that we can no longer just be concerned about the environment. We need to take action in doing something about it. As I was awakened the other morning, I was compelled to write a poem. Although I had no idea at first what I'd write, I let my heart be my guide and the words flowed as I wrote them. Since I've no formal education in writing poetry, please excuse any technical

errors I may have committed.

I sincerely hope and pray that you will print this poem, so that we can continue to spread the message of concern for the environment to the hearts of humankind.

ACID RAIN

How majestically my arms reach out
To shelter creatures that dwell here,
In this sacred place,
Of heavenly grace.

From earliest creation
I've embraced the forest glen.
How can the human race,
Of divine origin, not hear my cry.

My leaves no longer quenched
By sweet drops of honey,
But wither and die
More and more as time goes by.
What will it take
For you to know my grief?
Do you need to gaze upon a barren
land,
Scorched and dry?
Not even a tear left
To wipe from my eye.

Sincerely,
Nancy A. Roberts

Are you a supporter of unrestricted abortion on demand? If so, then you think it is all right for *anyone, any age*, to have an abortion at *any* time during the length of a pregnancy.

This means that you think it is all right to have an abortion at 12 weeks, 24 weeks, even 32 weeks. You also believe it is all right to have an abortion regardless of whether the individual is a 12-year-old child or a 40-year-old woman.

We presently have the pro-abortionists (who have recently renamed themselves pro-choice) and the pro-life advocates (they haven't changed their name). Perhaps we need a third group; we could call it the pro-legislative advocates. A pro-legislative group could work to put some perspective into this totally unrestricted issue.

I am pro-life and proud of it. How-

ever, I believe that the vast majority of Americans, whether they be pro-life or pro-choice, would have to agree that the present-day abortion laws are insane. If abortion must be allowed because of the Supreme Court ruling, then be sensible about it.

It doesn't make sense to me that babies as young as 20 weeks can and have survived, yet babies that age and even older can be aborted.

It doesn't make sense to me that a woman who is mentally unable to cope with a child can abort a baby a day before its expected "birth date," yet that same mentally unfit woman would be prosecuted for murder or abandonment if she waited until after the child was born.

It doesn't make sense to me that a 12-year-old girl cannot receive medical attention, or even get her ears pierced, without parental consent, yet that same 12-year-old can walk into an abortion clinic and, in total confidentiality, obtain an abortion without her parents' consent.

It doesn't make sense to me that we can prosecute for statutory rape involving a minor, but that same minor can be an adult in regards to a decision about the results of a sexual act.

I believe it is time to do something about this situation. If you'd like to know more about the present laws on abortion and exactly when, what, and who are allowed to have abortions, contact your local Right to Life office.

A concerned citizen,
Susan J. Endreszl

Enclosed, please find an announcement for an engagement and wedding, along with a check for a donation for doing such a fine job on the paper.

You may call yourself "the little paper," but I appreciate you keeping us informed on Romulus and having "a big heart" for caring enough to print information just for us (and you ask for no money).

Thank you,
Catherine M. Hall □

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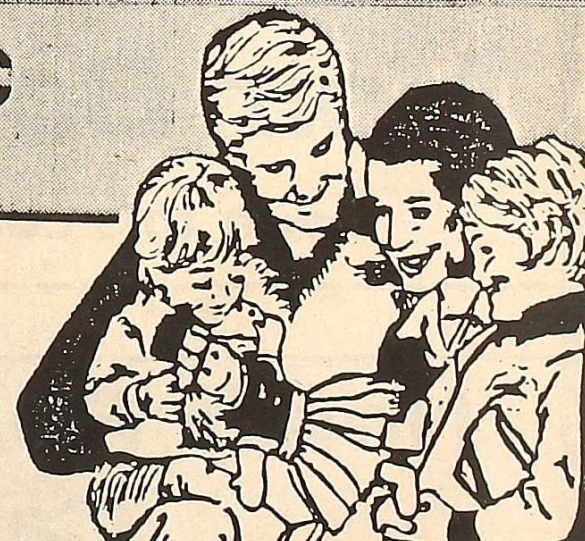
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Hallux Valgus

by Dr. Jeffrey A. August, Foot Specialist and Surgeon

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To treat the problem, the bunion's growth must be stopped. Removable orthotic devices in shoes can help prevent or slow down bunion development, but if the condition is advanced, surgery may be required. With modern surgical techniques, the convalescent period has decreased over the years. Within limits, a patient is able to return quickly to normal activities.

Hallux valgus is an uncomfortable deformity which can make walking and wearing shoes difficult. Development of bunions can be slowed if they're caught in early stages. Don't ignore them. Get prompt evaluation and treatment. □

May Is Foot Health Month

The May observance of Foot Health Month, an annual observance sponsored by the Michigan Podiatric Medical Association, has a new look for the '90s.

The special month is now a launch

pad, encouraging area podiatrists to join their colleagues nationwide in presenting a comprehensive consumer education program that underscores the benefits of regular foot care.

"It's the first time in our history the podiatrists are participating as individuals in a unified effort to teach the public about our essential health care services," said Dr. August, president of the local organization of podiatrists. "The strategy is simple. We are making colorful and informative brochures — which cover many topics relating to foot health — available at no cost. They will be put on display by individual podiatrists at locations throughout town — from hospitals and pharmacies to retailers and at offices of family physicians. And if people can't find them, they can use a nationwide, toll-free '800' number at any time of the day to request specific pieces of literature. That number is 1-800-FOOT-CARE."

The brochures that are central to this program are from the American Podiatric Medical Association's "Your Podiatrist Talks About" series that deals with children's foot health, foot and ankle injuries, athlete's foot, general foot health, diabetes, foot orthoses, and much more. "This will be an ongoing program," added Dr. August. "It will not be confined to just the month of May, but will be operational on a year-round basis."

Dr. August also called attention to traditional Foot Health Month activities which will also be taking place in the area. These include foot screenings,

health fairs, and activities at senior centers and schools. □

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Spring Sports Summaries

by Fred Coleman, Romulus Schools Athletic Director

Track

Overall: 1-2

League: 0-2

Both the men's and women's track programs have identical records, with losses to Ann Arbor Pioneer and Ann Arbor Huron and victories over Taylor Center.

Performing consistently for the ladies' team have been seniors Yvette Mason and Susan Rocha, while underclassmen Carmita Brown, Stephanie Franklin, and Tearza Johnson have all fared well in the weather-shortened season so far.

The men's program has been led by Khalid Muhammed and Eric Newcomb in the high jump and distance events, respectively, and also performing well have been Jim Catron, Andre Peters, and Verrell Gossett.

The Eagles' first home meet will be Monday, May 7, against Highland Park.

Tennis

Overall: 1-7

League: 0-5

The tennis team pulled out their first victory of the 1990 season by defeating Clarenceville 7-0 last Wednesday.

Singles players David Dork, Marcus Galbraith, Matt McIntosh, and Todd Robbins were all victorious, as were the doubles teams of Brian Molenda and Sherwin Springer, John Fitzhugh and Lujuan McCain, and Tammy Rozinski and Stacie Zilka.

The team's next home contest will be May 3 against Ann Arbor Pioneer.

Baseball

Overall: 3-4

League: 2-2

The Eagles' first-ever doubleheader sweep in the powerful South Central Conference (against Ann Arbor Huron) put a little life in the team after they had lost three of their first four games.

Eddie Tank pitched a two-hitter in the 6-1 first-game victory, and Eddie King came back in the second game to blank Huron 10-0 in a three-hit performance.

The Eagles' hitting attack thus far this season has been led by Ken Blevins, Mark Hardin, Steve Honeycutt, and Eddie King.

Catching is critical to the success of any baseball team, and Thom Patterson has been very steady behind the plate while occasionally picking up a hit or an RBI.

A recent hand injury to Rich Evans hurt the team in the pitching category, but showing the nature of this team, other players have risen to cover for it

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SENIOR NEWS & EVENTS

by Mary E. Clark

Special thanks are due to Sheila Hicks, Manager of the Romulus Towers senior apartments, and Barbara Schultz, Senior Center staff member, for contributing information to this issue's "Senior News & Events."

Happy Mother's Day

Time is precious every day, And Mother's Day is on its way. To each and every one, I say, May God bless you this Mother's Day. **Seniors Today: Determined to Get the Most out of Life**

It's no secret that today's seniors are more vibrant, active, interested, and interesting than ever. As the American population continues to age, the "youth culture" that has been a dominant force for so long in advertising, movies, television, literature, and so forth is beginning to be replaced by images of people well past their teens or twenties.

Health care, social security, age discrimination, and retirement planning have become hot topics. Seniors have become a powerful social and political force, and they are using their newfound power to fight for the causes that are important to them.

The prevailing image of the senior citizen is no longer that of grandmother baking cookies for her grandchildren or grandfather spending his days in the porch rocking chair, reminiscing about the good old days. The mature years are increasingly seen as a time to be-

gin a new, fulfilling phase of life.

Today's seniors travel, volunteer, go back to school, start new careers or open their own businesses, run for office or run in marathons, and ride around the Country on motorcycles — or in hot air balloons! In short, if you dreamed about doing something when you were 20 (but were prevented from pursuing your dream by career or family obligations), there's no reason that you can't do it in your seventies!

If you're getting ready to retire, the idea of all this activity may seem exhausting. After giving your all in the workplace for so many years, you may think you really *are* ready for the rocking chair. But, chances are, after a few weeks of rest and relaxation, you'll find yourself feeling bored, restless, and ready for new challenges.

The key to an active, productive, happy retirement is good health and a positive attitude. If you're ready to go scuba diving in the Caribbean or on a photo safari in Kenya, you have the right attitude. And studies show that good health can be achieved at any age.

Even if you've never exercised in your life, it's not too late to start a fitness program. Exercise will improve your health, your looks, and your mental state. And who knows — in a year or two, you may be ready to run a marathon!

News from the Senior Center

Senior Power Day — Tuesday, May

15, is Senior Power Day in Lansing, and the Senior Van will be departing for there at 6:30 p.m. Call the Center for more details.

Mother's Day Breakfast — Don't forget to sign up for the Mother's Day Breakfast to be held on Friday, May 11, at 9 a.m. The Center will be providing everything for only \$1.50 per person.

An Evening Out — Newport, Michigan, will be the destination of a trip for an evening of dining at the Swan Creek Inn on Tuesday, May 8. Transportation is only \$1.50, and everyone will choose from the menu for themselves.

Senior Day at Boblo — The Michigan Park and Recreation Association is sponsoring Senior Citizens' Day at Boblo Island again this year. Though the trip will not take place until June 6, tickets must be purchased by Friday, May 11. The cost is \$12 per person for transportation and admission to the Island and shows (you will need to bring money for food). Be sure to sign up at the Center as soon as possible if you are interested.

Take a Tour! — The St. Clair Inn and Edsel Ford Home tour is set for Wednesday, May 23, from 9 a.m. until 5:45 p.m. for only \$34.50. The trip will include a tour of the elegant English Tudor-style home, lunch at the beautiful St. Clair Inn, a drive through Belle Isle, and shopping at the Mary Maxim craft store in Port Huron.

Or, seniors looking for a longer trip may want to tour Kentucky for five days/four nights (beginning June 6) for only \$349 per person. There will be lots of sightseeing throughout the state, din-

ner theater, a riverboat dinner cruise, a Renfro Valley barn-dance show, and more! Only a limited number of people can go, so sign up soon!

News from the Romulus Towers

Happy Birthday! — Best wishes to the following Towers residents for a wonderful May birthday: Vera Walton, Jessie Swanigan, Lulu Stone, Helen Rounke, Alice Litviniuk, Mary Krieger, Dot Icenogle, and Florence Ashteneau.

Welcome! — On behalf of my neighbors at the Towers, I would like to extend a warm welcome to the newest residents in our little community — Opal Mohon and Helen Bliznik. We hope you'll enjoy your new residence.

Blood Pressure Check — Towers residents can get their blood pressure checked on Monday, May 7, in the Card Room. Screenings are offered monthly for your convenience and good health.

Up, Up, and Away! — Towers residents can join their neighbors at 2 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, for the annual Balloon Lift-Off, held in recognition of Older Americans Month. An afternoon of fun and frolic (and submarine sandwiches and pop!) will follow. Don't miss it; it's going to be a great time!

Talent Show — The annual Talent Show is coming soon, so start practicing on those instruments, vocal cords, and dance routines. A firm date for the event has not been set at this time, but it will be in either May or early June. ||



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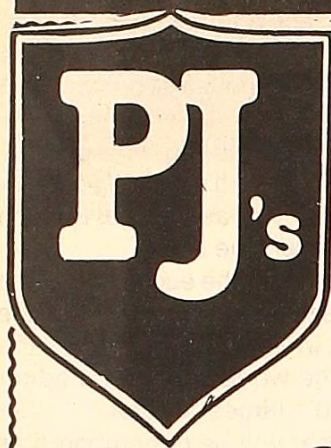
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SPORTS

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loss, as the Eagles have won two of their last three games.

The varsity baseball team will play away games at Ypsilanti (May 3), River-view (May 7), and Fordson (May 9) before meeting Ann Arbor Huron at home on May 10.

Softball

Overall: 5-6

League: 1-3

The Eagles have shown excellent hitting skills this season, but their weaker defense will be the determining factor in the team's success.

Led by All-League and All-Area juniors Jennifer Daniel and Michele Scarrow, the varsity Eagles have managed five victories and a second-place trophy in the 12-team Taylor Invitational.

Pitching is the key to softball, as you have to throw strikes and make the opponent hit the ball to beat you.

Jennifer has pitched seven of the 11 games, averaging six strikeouts and only three walks per game while compiling an earned run average of just over 1.0 per game.

Helping Jennifer with the pitching chores have been senior Becky Szente and junior Renee Bitner. Becky held powerful Garden City to only one run in a tough 1-0 loss last week, while Renee came in against Ann Arbor Pioneer and shut the undefeated Pioneers down to only one run over the last five innings.

The offense has been led by Michele Scarrow and Shannon DuDonis, while Jennifer Daniel and Becky Szente have had key hits in critical situations.

Defense has cost the Eagles most of their games this season, as All-League infielders Jennifer and Michele have been pitching and catching all season.

Angie Slawinski has done an excellent job coming in from the outfield to play shortstop or second base, while Chris Stratton has filled in excellently for Sue Molenda at first base and is now playing a steady center field, which was vacated by Angie's move to the infield.

The hitting, pitching, and catching appears to be pretty solid on this year's team. All that is needed is a little more solid defensive play, and this team will do very well this season.

Before their next home game, which will be against Wayne on May 7, the varsity Eagles will play away games at Ypsilanti (May 3, doubleheader) and Royal Oak Shrine (May 5). □

Homeless To Vote?

A bill that would allow homeless people to register to vote, sponsored by State Representative Maxine Berman (D-Southfield), has received approval from the House.

"Voting is a right of every eligible citizen," Berman said. "It should not be dependent on a person's income or amount of personal belongings."

Currently, Michigan has no law specifically dealing with how homeless people can register to vote. Election clerks, who are responsible for interpreting local voter registration laws, often deny homeless people the right to vote because they lack a residential mailing address.

Under Berman's bill, homeless people could register by designating the place where they reside and submitting the address of a temporary shelter as their personal mailing address. Election clerks would be required to accept the address and send a voter registration card to the individual at that address.

"Many homeless people have been unfairly shut out of the political process because they have no residential address to receive mail," said Berman. "This results in unequal representation. Americans are Americans, no matter where they live." □

Levin Speaks on Trade Barriers

In a hard-hitting speech to skilled trades workers meeting in Detroit, U.S. Senator Carl Levin (D-Mich.) challenged the Japanese to lift trade barriers on American-made products or else be prepared to face "comparable restrictions" on Japanese goods sold in the United States.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the United Auto Workers Skilled Trades Council, Levin said the Japanese must remove restrictions on American and

Michigan-made products such as auto parts, communications equipment, apples, cherries, and wood products.

"If we don't do that — if we don't act to force fairness and reciprocity in trade — we face another decade of job losses overseas and the further decline of America as an industrial power," said Levin.

"It's long overdue to tell our competitors: Friends — It's nothing personal. We admire you as people. But the free ride is over," he said.

Levin said that the economic future of the U.S. is threatened by a weak trade policy that, in 10 years, has turned the U.S. from the world's largest creditor to the world's largest debtor.

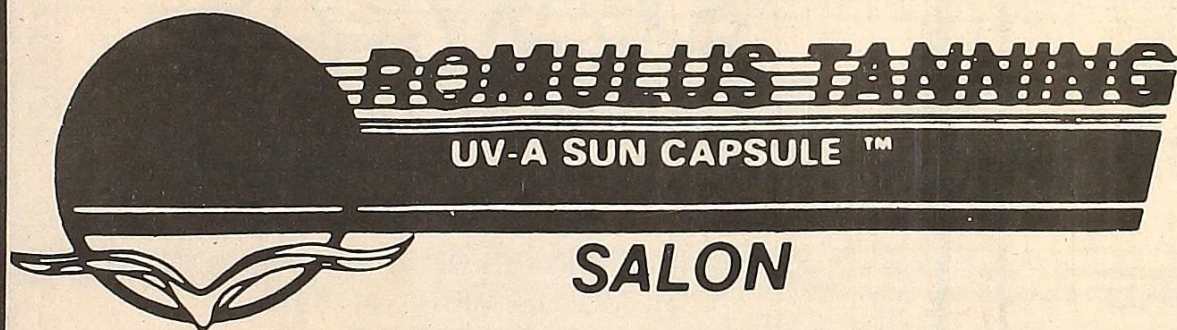
"Last year will be remembered as the year the Iron Curtain crumbled, but it was also a year in which the barriers to the products of U.S. workers remained as high and impassable as ever," he said.

"Every other country acts to defend its industry and agriculture," Levin argued. "Our government should fight just as hard for American jobs as other countries fight for their people's jobs."

"We should apply a simple rule when it comes to trade: treat our competitors no better than they treat us," he said. "We've been doing the opposite — we've been playing the fool."

Levin said one administration after another has misled the American people on trade, including the Reagan administration.

"People are tired of reading lips; they want to see some guts," he said. □



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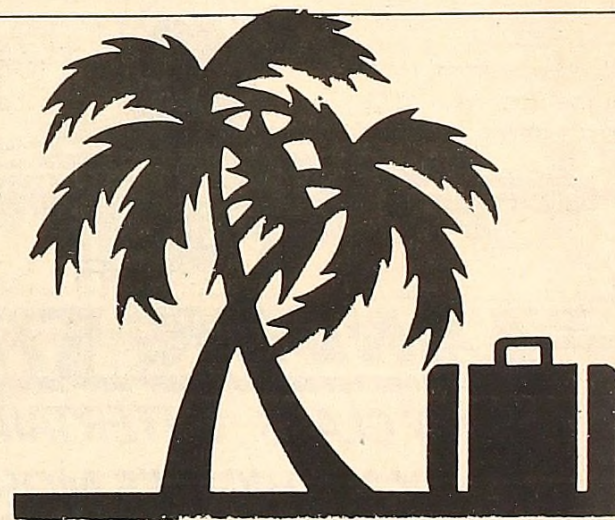
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THE HOUSE OF GOD CHURCH #2 — 34156 Beverly Road / 729-6440 / Bishop Lovell Wooden, Sr., Pastor / Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship - 11:30 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m. / Bible Study - Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. / Prayer Service / Choir Rehearsal - Thursday, 6:00 p.m. / Free Transportation for Church Service - Call 729-6440

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The Romulus News Church Directory
11114 Sterling
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by Murray A. Duncan, Jr., Attorney

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There is no appeal from Small Claims. Once the judge rules one way or the other, the case is over. However,

either party may remove a case from Small Claims at any time prior to the hearing.

If you have a situation where you have a Small Claims court case pending, go to your local District Court and watch the hearings so you can get a feel for what you will be doing when it is your turn.

If you have a legal question that you would like answered, you may send your question to my office and I will attempt to address it in a future issue. Questions should be mailed to: Murray A. Duncan, Jr., 10000 South Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174. □

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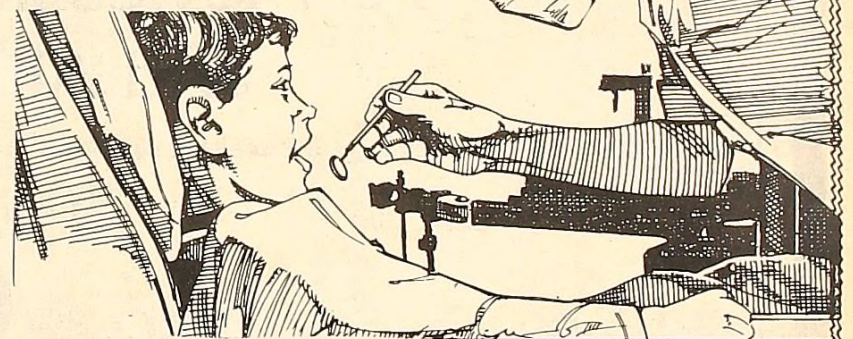
by Dave Atkins

On April 15, a black male was found in the front seat of his car, dead from a single 12-gauge shotgun blast. The shotgun had been placed between the man's legs with the barrel pointing at his torso, and the one shot that was fired hit him in the upper left part of his chest. A suicide note was left, but Police were not releasing either the note's contents or the victim's name at the time of this writing.

The car was parked in the parking lot of Merriman Elementary School, and the body was discovered by a group of people leaving the school after playing basketball in the gymnasium. □

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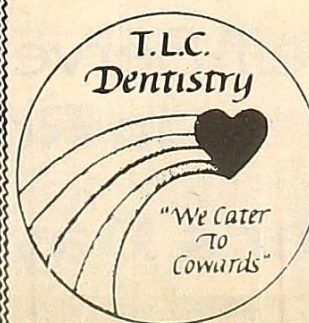
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REGULAR MEETING, APRIL 9, 1990

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, April 9, 1990, was called to order by President Berlinn at 7:30 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Langley absent (excused). All Administrators were present. Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Berlinn.

Approval of Agenda:

4/90/1 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Kesner the Agenda be approved as presented by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

4/90/2 Moved by King supported by Wilkerson the Minutes of March 26, 1990, be approved as corrected below. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Correction:

R. E. A. C. H. Report

Marcie MacMahan sent a report on the R. E. A. C. H. Program.

Communications and Expressions from the Public:

There were no communications and expressions from the public this evening.

Report of the Superintendent:

Personnel Actions

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval: **A. Leave of Absence — Extension:** Gail Perkins, Teacher, Child Care, 1990-91 School Yr. **B. Resignation:** Cynthia Kogowski, Teacher, Eff. 3/26/90. **C. Termination:** Sharon Cardinal, Bus Dr., Eff. 4/4/90; Valerie Kaplansky, Social Worker, Eff. 4/4/90; and Jacquelin Riley, Teacher, Eff. 4/4/90 (all failed to give timely notice of intent).

4/90/3 Moved by King supported by Patterson the Personnel Actions be approved as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Proposed 1990/91 Layoffs — Decline of Enrollment

4/90/4 Moved by Bales supported by King the Board approve the Resolution to Layoff Teachers for the 1990/91 School Year as presented by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

(Member Langley entered meeting at 7:41 P.M.)

Bills for Payment

4/90/5 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Patterson the Board approve the Bills for Payment as presented by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

1990/91 Allocation Budget

4/90/6 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Board accept the Administration's recommendation to adopt the Wayne County Tax Allocation Budget as presented. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Athletic Department Changes

4/90/7 Moved by Bales supported by Langley the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve changes in the admission charges and official wages for the 1990/91 school year as per the memo dated April 2, 1990, from Fred Coleman, Athletic Director. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Summer Recreation — Bus Request

4/90/8 Moved by King supported by Patterson this item be tabled until a later date. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Teen Health Center Contract

4/90/9 Moved by Langley supported by King the Board of Education accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the contract as presented and approved by the district attorney, with Oakwood United Hospitals, Inc., to establish a Teen Health Center at the high school. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Letters of Recognition — 3 staff, 1 student

Letters of Recognition to Chief Claudis Polk, Commander Timothy Marvin, Mr. William Thomas, Instructor, and Student Stacie Brown were brought to the attention of Board Members.

Volunteer Recognition Dinner — Discussion

Discussion was held on this item. The district will continue to have a recognition dinner at the high school. A tentative date of May 17 was selected.

Possible Jaycee Sponsorship

No action was taken on this item.

Drug-Free Workplace Policy

4/90/10 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Langley the Board refer the Drug-Free Workplace Policy to the Board Policy Committee for consideration and their recommendations. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Board Meeting Date Conflict

4/90/11 Moved by Langley supported by Kesner the Board Meeting of April 23, 1990, be rescheduled to be held April 30, 1990. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members: 1) Finance Minutes; 2) Dolan Letter — Library Accreditation Problem; 3) State Letter — Deficit Elimination Plan; 4) Coleman Letter — Portable Phone; 5) Autistic Association Letter — Center Program Maintenance; 6) R. O. T. C. Letter of Thanks — Captain Shaw; 7) Editorial on Property Taxes; and 8) Article on Superintendent's "Staying Power".

Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member King: Brought up upcoming Government Day at Wayne County Association of School Boards being held May 9, 1990.

Member Berlinn: Spoke on recent visit to Farmington School District.

Executive Session — Negotiations

4/90/12 Moved by King supported by Langley the Board convene in Executive Session for purpose of Negotiations. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 8:26 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 9:08 P.M.

Adjournment:

4/90/13 Moved by Bales supported by Kesner the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:09 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Daniel R. Bales, Secretary
Romulus Board of Education

YOUTH HOME

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Jack Barton do not want this facility in Romulus (the other Planning Commission members were unavailable for comment); as far as City Council is concerned, Councilmen Ellis Pennington and Russell Lambert join Councilman Bergeron in his opposition.

There will probably be other public hearings on this issue, and I advise the residents of Romulus to attend these meetings so that they can be better informed about any plans concerning the proposed Amherst Academy. □

Band Earns a 'I' at State Festival

Under Henry James, Band Director, the Romulus High School Symphonic Band earned a "I" rating at the State Festival, which was held Friday, April 27, at Lansing Everette High School. It was only the second time that the band has received such a rating at the State Festival, and the first time that it has received a "I" rating at both the District and State competitions.

Congratulations to Band Director Henry James and the 85 Symphonic Band members. □

Mock Court

In conjunction with Romulus High School, the 34th District Court in Rom-

ulus will be recognizing Law Day by holding mock trials on May 4. Approximately 60 high school students will participate in a life-like trial format with local practicing attorneys. The students will be acting as defendants, co-counsel to actual attorneys, witnesses, and jurors. Attorneys volunteering their time are Brian Oakley, Norman Kohlstrand, Robert Meston, John Day, and Magistrate Mark Maironis. □

Citizens Object to Shooting

by Dave Atkins

Recently, I have received complaints about police officers shooting at the firing range in the very early hours of the morning. The complaints come from north of the I-94 expressway in the Wynclyff subdivision.

It seems that the Police Department has its officers at the firing range at night so that they can practice firing their weapons under actual nighttime conditions. Police Chief Fred Dansby said, "It is hard to practice night shooting in the daytime. We must have officers qualified for nighttime situations, and night hours are the only time we can do it."

The people complaining say that they don't care if officers practice at night, but don't understand why it can't be done earlier than 4 a.m.

I contacted Dansby and the Mayor's Office, and was told that possibly other hours could be set for gun practice. □

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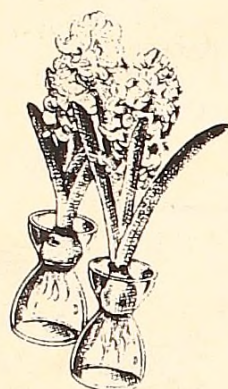
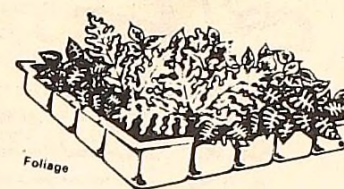
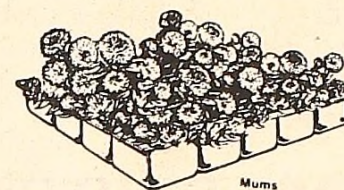
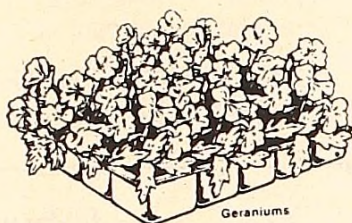
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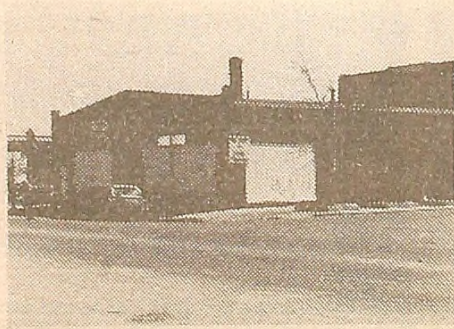
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Coaches are needed. If you have a

few hours a week to volunteer, please call the Recreation Office at 942-6852.

Jazzercise for Adults

Adults ages 20-60 can register for a 12-session Jazzercise class to be held at the Recreation Building from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays from June 18 through July 30. The fee is \$36.

Golf Lessons

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(limit of 12 per class) can register for either the morning session (10 to 11 a.m.) or the evening session (6 to 7 p.m.) of the five-week class, which will meet on Tuesdays beginning July 10. Ages teens and up are welcome. Registration is now being accepted at the Recreation Building; the fee is \$31.

Michigan Week Festival Activities

The Recreation Department will continue to participate in the Michigan Week Festival Weekend activities by sponsoring the following events:

Bicycle Rally — A new event! The first annual Bicycle Rally, which will be held on Sunday, May 20, beginning at 11 a.m., is open to families and individuals of all ages. It is not a race. 'Bikers' will depart from the Progressive Hall parking lot and enter the I-275 bike trail at Northline, ride north to Michigan Avenue (where there will be a check-point), and return. Certificates will be awarded to all 'bikers' who complete the rally. Registration for the event will be held in the parking lot of the Progressive Hall (near Five Points) beginning at 10 a.m. on the day of the race.

Cake Judging — A new event! Entrants will be judged in either the senior class (age 55 and over) or the junior class (under 55). Bring your cake to the Festival grounds and register at the Information Tent at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 19; judging will be at 2 p.m. in the Entertainment Tent. Ribbons will be awarded for each class. (Judges will be selected from people at the Festival.)

Pie Judging — A new event! Entrants will be judged in either the senior class (age 55 and over) or the junior class (under 55). Bring your pie to the Festival grounds and register at the Information Tent at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 20; judging will be at 2 p.m. in the Entertainment Tent. Ribbons will be awarded for each class. (Judges will be selected from people at the Festival.)

Big Wheel Grand Prix — This event, for kids ages three to seven, will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 19, in the parking lot of the Community United Methodist Church. Entrants must register in advance by purchasing a one-day driver's license (for \$1) at the Recreation Building by 5 p.m. on Friday, May 18. All participants must furnish their own Big Wheel.

Diaper Derby — This event, which

is for crawlers only, will end with the crowning of the King and Queen of the Romulus Michigan Week Festival Diaper Derby! Entrants must be pre-registered at the Recreation Office by 5 p.m. Friday, May 18. The fee is \$1.

Discount Amusement Park Tickets

Discount tickets for the following amusement parks are available at the Recreation Office: Cedar Point, King's Island, Sea World, Geauga Lake, The Beach, Bob-Lo, the Michigan Renaissance Festival, Greenfield Village, the Detroit Zoo, the Michigan State Fair, Crossroads Village, and Canada's Wonderland. For more information, call the Recreation Department at 942-6852. □

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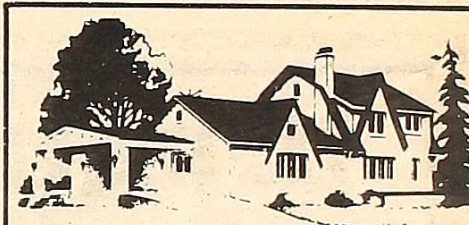
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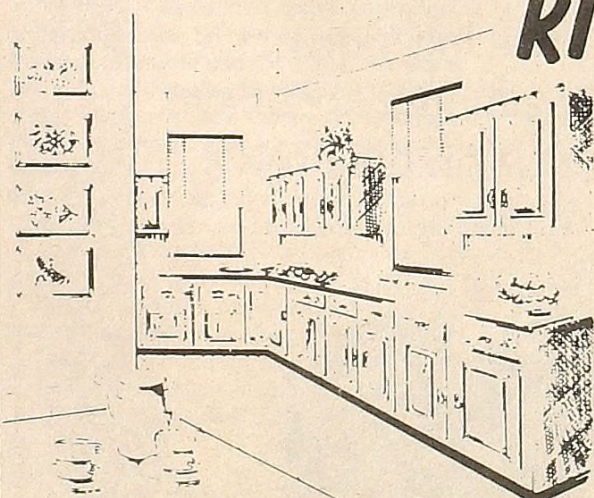
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Teen Health Center Is Open

The Romulus Adolescent Health Center hosted its Grand Opening on Thursday, April 26. The Health Center is located at Romulus Senior High School, 9650 South Wayne Road.

Speakers at the Opening ceremonies included: Beverly McAnally, Mayor of the City of Romulus; Dr. William Bedell, Superintendent, Romulus Community Schools; Sandra Langley, Romulus School Board member; and Evelyn Hopewell, Chair of the Romulus Adolescent Health Center Council and a teacher in the City's high school.

"We are very pleased that the Center is opening and we are beginning to see teens," said Mrs. Hopewell, who is also a Romulus parent and has been working with the Advisory Council since the Project began in October, 1987. "We are quite proud we are able to give the teens in this city the care they need."

The Romulus Adolescent Health Center will provide a full range of medical and counseling services to Romulus adolescents between the ages of 11 and 21. Parental consent is required for all services at the Center for those teens under age 18. A minimal fee is charged for specific services, although no one will be turned away if unable to pay. The Center will also be able to accept payments from Medicaid and Blue Cross/Blue Shield.

The Health Center is staffed by a part-time Medical Director, Dr. Natalia M. Tanner. Dr. Tanner is a pediatrician

in private practice and on the staff of Wayne State University and Children's Hospital of Michigan in Detroit, and has provided care to area adolescents for many years. Center medical staff will also include a full-time Nurse Practitioner who is certified to care for adolescents. A counselor is currently available at the Center on a part-time basis.

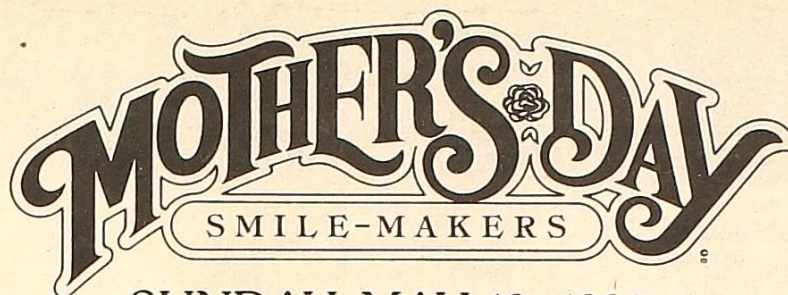
The Health Center is the product of more than two years of planning by a community-based committee of parents, teachers, students, city residents, and representatives of local youth-serving agencies. Its primary source of funding is a grant from the Michigan Department of Public Health. Donations of equipment, furnishings, supplies, and services are used to supplement the funding from the Health Department.

The April 26 Grand Opening signaled the Center's first public opening, although the Center officially opened its doors March 30, 1990. The Center will be open five days a week and one evening as expected demand increases. □

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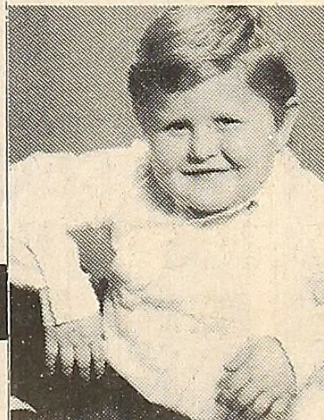
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Sally is the daughter of Lee and Judy Oxley of Skiatook, Oklahoma. Tom's parents are Thomas and Beverly Townsend of Romulus. □

Obituary

Antonio "Tony" Mario Navarro

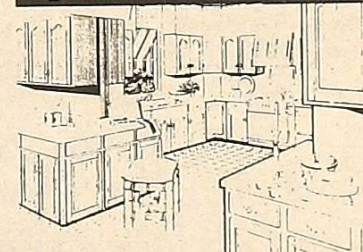
Eight-year-old Antonio "Tony" Mario Navarro of Romulus died April 20, 1990.

Tony was the dear son of Marie and Timothy M. Spiewak (of Romulus) and Antonio J. Navarro (of Ohio), and the brother of Tina M. Navarro (of Lincoln Park) and Paula L. Navarro (of River Rouge). He is also survived by grandparents Oliver and Kathleen Krell (of Romulus), William J. Hodges (of Taylor), Helena Navarro (of Texas), and Stanley J. Spiewak.

Tony, who was a student at Wick Elementary School, liked to participate in the Romulus Bowling League and Wick's after-school sports.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 23, at Our Savior Polish National Catholic Church (in Dearborn Heights), with the Right Reverend Joseph P. Tomczyk officiating. The burial site was Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock. □

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